

Question of the week:

What sport is the most boring for you to watch? What would you do to make it more entertaining?

Start talking:

READ THE WEEKLY VERSES AND DISCUSS THE QUESTIONS TOGETHER

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!

2 Corinthians 5:17 NIV

- What does it mean that you are a “new creation”?
- What are the benefits of being a new creation with a new “nature”?
- What could keep us from living in our new nature?

Do not let sin control the way you live; do not give in to sinful desires...Instead, give yourselves completely to God, for you were dead, but now you have new life.

Romans 6:12-13a NLT

- In the life of a Christian, how do we “give ourselves completely to God”?
- According to Romans 6, letting sin control us is a choice! In our new nature, we’re no longer slaves to sin! If you were giving tips to others about how to overcome sin, what would you tell them?

Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so God can heal you. When a believing person prays, great things happen.

James 5:16 NCV

- Why do you think confessing our sins to each other is so important?
- When is a time that you bravely chose to be vulnerable with others and God showed up to bring healing in your life?

Action step:

Being open and vulnerable is so important to living fully alive as followers of Jesus! This week, take the following steps.

1. Ask, “Holy Spirit, is there any area of sin in my life that I need to confess to someone else?”
2. Be brave and choose vulnerability with another follower of Jesus. It could be a spouse, friend, or mentor.
3. Ask this person to pray for you, that you would live in freedom and peace in Jesus!

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